Santander Internships

Receive up to £1500 towards your internship. As part of the University of Aberdeen Santander Partnership, the Careers Service is offering SME organisations the opportunity to have a current student or recent graduate work for them for between 1 and 10 weeks, and receive up to £1500 towards their salary.

The Internships can be a great way to bring innovative ideas to existing projects, have a fresh pair of eyes on your business, fill existing skills or workforce gaps, or head up dedicated projects.

You can be from any sector, and suggest any form of internship. We will advertise this and aid in the recruitment process.

25 internships were funded last year. Students and graduates from a range of disciplines and years of study benefitted from taking part.

A number of companies have offered their interns extensions to their contracts, or a position within the company.

Examples of Internships offered:
- Data Analyst
- Digital/Social Media Developer
- Software Developer
- Assistant Ecologist
- Design Engineer
- Business Development
- Laboratory/Medical Coordinator
- Higher Education Liaison Coordinator

COMPANY FEEDBACK

Our intern is doing very well and has played a crucial role in launching our Social Enterprise. We are delighted with his positive approach towards our organisation.

The internship is going really well. Our intern is getting on great and has settled in well with the people and company. As a result, we have offered her a 6 month contract.

Our intern has many skills that we have been able to utilise here. I am sure she is gaining valuable experience which will be of use to her during her career. She is also a very likeable person and has good relations with all the staff.

Things are great. Our intern has settled in well and already providing valuable input. Thanks again for the funding support and facilitation. Is this something that might happen again next year?

As a small business it has helped enormously as this is our very busiest time, but the best thing of all is having someone alongside who is keen to learn!

INTERN FEEDBACK

It is very interesting and I've been given lots of tasks that I feel will prepare me for future jobs.

I've gained a really big insight into the commercial business world...I've learned a great deal which will be great when applying for graduate positions in the near future.

I would definitely recommend the Santander internship opportunities to other students. I couldn’t have wished for a better summer placement.

A very enjoyable, challenging and fulfilling internship.

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